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Farnworth et al.

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**AMENDMENT**

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This Amendment follows the Office Action mailed on October 28, 2005. As January 28, 2006, falls on a Saturday, the three-month shortened statutory period for response to the Office Action of October 28, 2005, expires on Monday, January 30, 2006. 37 C.F.R. § 1.7.

An amendment to the title appears on page 2 of this paper;

Amendments to the specification have been set forth on page 3 of this paper;

A listing of the claims, in which amendments to the claims are presented, begins on page 4 of this paper;

Corrections to the drawings are identified at page 12 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.

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IN THE TITLE:

Please amend the title as follows:

ELECTRICAL CONTACTS WITH ~~POLYMER CORES AND CONDUCTIVE COATINGS~~  
~~ON THE POLYMER CORES~~ DIELECTRIC CORES